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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence  
SUBJECT: Projected Meeting with the President

1. It is really very important in my opinion that a meeting with the President on AQUATONE be held during the week beginning 29 April, unless his schedule is so overloaded as to preclude thoughtful consideration of this matter by him. It may be necessary to meet again briefly with General Twining prior to the presentation to the President but Twining has already agreed in the meeting that was held with Admiral Radford and with him that the presentation should go forward. The Air Force is as eager as we are to obtain some clarification.

2. Herewith is a paper I have written in response to your request of some days ago to set forth the questions to which answers are now required. This paper may be too long in its present form but it is difficult to shorten it further except by omitting one or more of the first three numbered paragraphs. I would like to discuss this with you Monday (29 April) and discover whether there are changes you would like to have made.

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for Planning and Coordination

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